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FRENCH DRAFT DECLARATION

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REF: A. USNATO 5444 B. USNATO 5518

AS FORECAST IN COUNCIL DISCUSSION NOVEMBER 14, NETHERLANDS DELEGATION HAS SUBMITTED DRAFT AMENDMENTS TO FRENCH ATLANTIC RELATIONS DRAFT (REF A). AMENDMENTS ARE ADDITIONAL TO THE ONE SUGGESTED FOR DRAFT PARA 13 REPORTED IN PARA 14 OF USNATO 5518. LANGUAGE UNDERLINED BELOW REPRESENTS AMENDMENTS SOUGHT BY DUTCH. THE MISSION HAS INFORMALLY TRANSLATED THEM FROM THE FRENCH ORIGINAL:

PARA 2, SENTENCE 2:

THE MEMBER COUNTRIES OF THE ALLIANCE WELCOMED CONFIDENTIAL

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THIS TURN OF EVENTS BEGIN UNDERLINE AND WILL DO EVERY-THING IN THEIR POWER TO IMPROVE EUROPEAN SECURITY BY MEANS OF THE NORMATLIZATION OF RELATIONS BETWEEN THE COUNTRIES OF EASTERN AND WESTERN EUROPE AND BY THE

ELIMINATION OF THE MILITARY CONFRONTATION. THEY NONE-THELESS END UNDERLINE FEEL THAT, AS LONG AS CIRCUMSTANCES DO NOT PERMIT....

PARA 11, SENTENCE 1:

THEY RECALL THAT THEIR SOLIDARITY IS BASED ON A COMMON ATTACHMENT TO THE BEGIN UNDERLINE PRINCIPLES END UNDERLINE OF DEMOCRACY, A RESPECT FOR THE RIGHTS OF MAN, JUSTICE AND SOCIAL PROGRESS, ALL OF WHICH ARE THE FRUITS OF THEIR COMMON SPIRITUAL HERITAGE BEGIN UNDERLINE WHICH THEY HAVE DECIDED TO MAINTAIN. END UNDERLINE. RUMSFELD

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